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SUBJECT: REPORT OF THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY

1. FRG AND YUGOSLAV DELS HAVE NEGOTIATED PROPOSED COMPROMISE
VERSION OF THE NON-ALIGNED AMENDMENT TO THE FRG/CZECH/MAL-
AYSIA RES. ON THE REPORT OF THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY
AGENCY. IF ACCEPTABLE THIS LANGUAGE WOULD BE INCORPORATED
IN A NEW TEXT (L.13/REV.1) TO BE ACTED UPON IN THE UNGA
PLENARY DECEMBER 8 A.M.

2. FRG/YUGOSLAV PROPOSAL IS AS FOLLOWS:

"I. A NEW PREAMBULAR PARAGRAPH 4 SHOULD READ:

"NOTING THE DECISION OF THE IAEA 21ST GENERAL
CONFERENCE REQUESTING THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS TO GIVE FURTHER
CONSIDERATION TO THE REPRESENTATION OF THE AREAS OF AFRICA
AND OF THE MIDDLE EAST AND SOUTH ASIA ON THE BOARD OF GOV-
ERNORS AND TO SUBMIT ITS OBSERVATIONS ON THIS MATTER TO THE
22ND REGULAR SESSION OF THE GENERAL CONFERENCE;"

"II. A NEW OP. PARA 7 SHOULD READ:

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INVITES THE IAEA TO GIVE DUE CONSIDERATION
TO THE REQUEST OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES TO INCREASE
THEIR REPRESENTATION ON THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS IN
ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRINCIPLE OF EQUAL GEOGRAPHICAL
DISTRIBUTION."

3. THE COMPROMISE PROPOSAL IS ACCEPTABLE AD REFERENDUM

TO FRANCE, FRG, AND THE UK. THE YUGOSLAVS HAVE INDICATED THAT IT IS ACCEPTABLE ALSO TO PAKISTAN AND THEMSEMVES. SOVIETS SAY IT IS ACCEPTABLE IF THE IAEA RESOLUTION IS ADOPTED BY CONSENSUS.

4. IN DISCUSSION BETWEEN EC-9 REPS AND USUN OFFICERS ON DECEMBER 6 ITALIAN DEL SUGGESTED AN ALTERNATIVE FORMULATION FOR OPERATIVE PARA 7 WHICH WOULD RECOMMEND THAT THE IAEA CONSIDER FAVORABLY INCREASING THE REPRESENTATION OF BOTH DEVELOPED AND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES ON THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS. THE FRG, UK, AND US DELS INDICATED THAT IT WOULD BE AN UNDESIRABLE PRECEDENT FOR THE GA TO RECOMMEND AN INCREASE IN THE SIZE OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS. ITALIAN DEL TOLD US LATER IN DAY THAT ON INSTRUCTIONS FROM ROME HE HAD APPROACHED DELS OF SPAIN AND SWEDEN, WHICH WANT SEATS ON THE BOARD, TO SUPPORT THEIR POSITION. ITALIAN DEL SAID ROME'S FIRST PREFERENCE IS TO HAVE THE AMENDMENT WITHDRAWN OR DEFEATED, BUT ITS FALLBACK IS FOR COMPROMISE LANGUAGE ON A "BALANCED" INCREASE OF THE BOARD MEMBERSHIP.

5. FRG IS ORGANIZING MEETING OF INTERESTED WESTERN DELS DECEMBER 7, A.M.
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